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Please find enclosed explanation of the non-responsiveness of the amendment filed by the applicant on January 13, 2004.

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## DETAILED ACTION

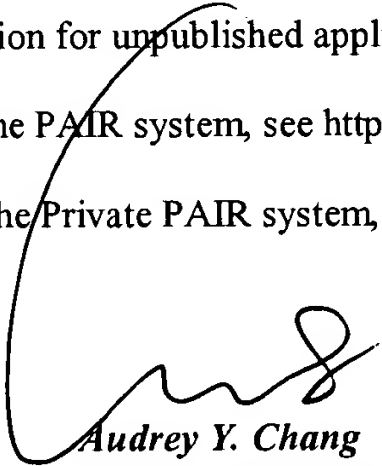
### *Response to Amendment*

1. The reply filed on **January 13, 2004** is not fully responsive to the prior Office Action because of the following omission(s) or matter(s): the amendment, based on the new rules, must include all of the claims, whether it is originally filed, amended, withdraw from consideration or canceled. See 37 CFR 1.111. Since the above-mentioned reply appears to be *bona fide*, applicant is given **ONE (1) MONTH or THIRTY (30) DAYS** from the mailing date of this notice, whichever is longer, within which to supply the omission or correction in order to avoid abandonment. **EXTENSIONS OF THIS TIME PERIOD MAY BE GRANTED UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a).**

Any inquiry concerning this communication or earlier communications from the examiner should be directed to Audrey Y. Chang whose telephone number is 571-272-2309. The examiner can normally be reached on Monday-Friday (8:00-4:30), alternative Mondays off.

If attempts to reach the examiner by telephone are unsuccessful, the examiner's supervisor, Drew Dunn can be reached on 571-272-2312. The fax phone number for the organization where this application or proceeding is assigned is 703-872-9306.

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